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## FINAL EXAMINATION

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### PPP0101 PRINCIPLES OF PHYSICS

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#### INSTRUCTIONS TO STUDENTS

1. This question paper consists of 6 pages.
2. Answer all questions.
3. Write your answers in the Answer Booklet provided.
4. Show all relevant steps to obtain maximum marks.

**QUESTION 1 (15 MARKS)**

- a) Consider the system shown in Figure Q1(a) below. Block A weighs 36.5 N, and block B weighs 20.5 N. Once block B is set into downward motion, it descends at a constant speed.

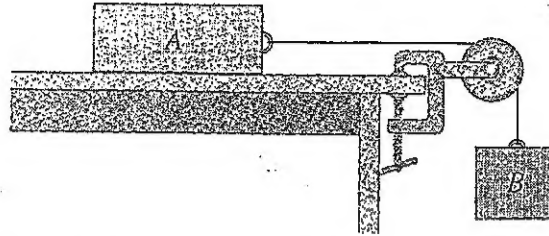


Figure Q1(a)

- (i) Calculate the coefficient of kinetic friction between block A and the tabletop. [3.5 marks]
  - (ii) As block A moves to the right and block B moves downwards at a constant speed, a dog, also of weight 36.5 N, jumps on the top of block A. Calculate the acceleration of the system now (magnitude and direction). [4 marks]
- b) A 10.0 g marble slides to the left at a speed of 0.40 m/s on the frictionless, horizontal surface and has a head-on, elastic collision with a larger 30.0 g marble sliding to the right at a speed of 0.20 m/s.
- (i) Find the velocity of each marble (magnitude and direction) after the collision. [5 marks]
  - (ii) Calculate the impulse for each marble. Compare the values for each marble. [2.5 marks]

**QUESTION 2 (10 MARKS)**

- a) A 2.20 kg mass on a spring has displacement as a function of time given by

$$x(t) = (7.40\text{cm})\sin[(4.16\text{rad/s})t - 2.42]$$

Calculate,

- (i) the time for one complete vibration. [1 mark]
- (ii) the spring constant of the spring. [1 mark]
- (iii) the maximum speed of the mass. [1 mark]
- (iv) the position, speed, and acceleration of mass at  $t = 1.0$  s. [3 marks]
- (v) the force on the mass at that time. [1 mark]

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- b) Under Damped, Critically Damped, and Over Damped are three common cases of heavily damped systems. Explain briefly all the three cases. [3 marks]

### QUESTION 3 (15 MARKS)

- a) The graph of displacement against time and the graph of displacement against position of a travelling wave are shown in Figure Q3(a) and Q3(b) respectively.

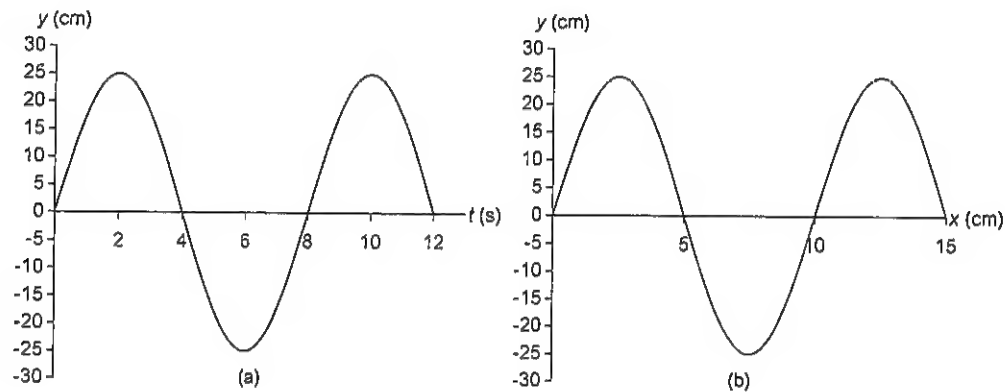


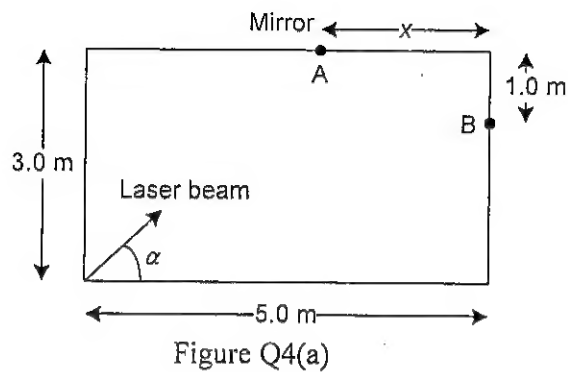
Figure Q3

- (i) State the amplitude of the wave. [1 mark]
- (ii) State the period of the wave. [1 mark]
- (iii) State the wavelength of the wave. [1 mark]
- (iv) Find the angular frequency of the wave. [2 marks]
- (v) Find the wave number of the wave. [2 marks]
- b) (i) Give one difference between loudness and pitch of sound. [2 marks]
- (ii) Which one has a higher pitch: a dog's bark or a cat's meow? [1 mark]
- c) The power of a sound source is  $15 \mu\text{W}$ .
- (i) What is the sound intensity 5 m from the source? [2 marks]
- (ii) Your friend is standing at a distance of  $x$  from the source. Where should you stand so that the sound intensity you hear is one-third of your friend's? Express your answer in terms of  $x$ . [3 marks]

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**QUESTION 4 (10 MARKS)**

- a) Figure Q4(a) below shows a laser beam that is directed to point A on a mirror. Being reflected by the mirror, the beam then hits point B.



- (i) Find the distance  $x$ . [2 marks]
- (ii) Find the angle of incidence of the laser beam when it hits point A. [2 marks]
- (iii) Find the angle  $\alpha$ . [2 marks]
- b) Two narrow slits  $52 \mu\text{m}$  apart are illuminated with light of wavelength  $500 \text{ nm}$ .
- (i) What is the angle of the second order bright fringe in degrees? [2 marks]
- (ii) What is the distance of the screen from the slits if the second order bright fringe is  $6 \text{ mm}$  from the central maximum? [2 marks]

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## APPENDIXES

## LIST OF PHYSICAL CONSTANTS

Electron mass,	$m_e$	=	$9.11 \times 10^{-31}$ kg
Proton mass,	$m_p$	=	$1.67 \times 10^{-27}$ kg
Neutron mass,	$m_n$	=	$1.67 \times 10^{-27}$ kg
Magnitude of the electron charge,	$e$	=	$1.602 \times 10^{-19}$ C
Universal gravitational constant,	$G$	=	$6.67 \times 10^{-11}$ N.m <sup>2</sup> kg <sup>-2</sup>
Universal gas constant,	$R$	=	8.314 J/K.mol
Hydrogen ground state,	$E_o$	=	13.6 eV
Boltzmann's constant,	$k_B$	=	$1.38 \times 10^{-23}$ J/K
Compton wavelength,	$\lambda_c$	=	$2.426 \times 10^{-12}$ m
Planck's constant,	$h$	=	$6.63 \times 10^{-34}$ J.s
		=	$4.14 \times 10^{-15}$ eV.s
Speed of light in vacuum,	$c$	=	$3.0 \times 10^8$ m/s
Rydberg constant,	$R_H$	=	$1.097 \times 10^7$ m <sup>-1</sup>
Acceleration due to gravity,	$g$	=	9.81 m s <sup>-2</sup>
Unified atomic mass unit,	1 u	=	931.5 MeV/c <sup>2</sup>
		=	$1.66 \times 10^{-27}$ kg
1 electron volt,	1 eV	=	$1.60 \times 10^{-19}$ J
Avogadro's number,	$N_A$	=	$6.023 \times 10^{23}$ mol <sup>-1</sup>
Threshold of intensity of hearing,	$I_o$	=	$1.0 \times 10^{-12}$ W m <sup>-2</sup>
Coulomb constant,	$k = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_o}$	=	$9.0 \times 10^9$ Nm <sup>2</sup> C <sup>-2</sup>
Permittivity of free space,	$\epsilon_o$	=	$8.85 \times 10^{-12}$ C <sup>2</sup> /N.m <sup>-2</sup>
Permeability of free space,	$\mu_o$	=	$4\pi \times 10^{-7}$ (T.m)/A
1 atmosphere pressure,	1 atm	=	$1.0 \times 10^5$ N/m <sup>2</sup>
		=	$1.0 \times 10^5$ Pa
Earth: Mass,	$M_E$	=	$5.97 \times 10^{24}$ kg
Radius (mean),	$R_E$	=	$6.38 \times 10^3$ km
Moon: Mass,	$M_M$	=	$7.35 \times 10^{22}$ kg
Radius (mean),	$R_M$	=	$1.74 \times 10^3$ km
Sun: Mass,	$M_S$	=	$1.99 \times 10^{30}$ kg
Radius (mean),	$R_S$	=	$6.96 \times 10^5$ km
Earth-Sun distance (mean),		=	$149.6 \times 10^6$ km
Earth-Moon distance (mean),		=	$384 \times 10^3$ km

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**LIST OF FORMULA**

Differential Rule	Trigonometric Identity		
$y = kx^n$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = knx^{n-1}$	$\sin = \frac{\text{opposite}}{\text{hypotenuse}}$	$\cos = \frac{\text{adjacent}}{\text{hypotenuse}}$	$\tan = \frac{\text{opposite}}{\text{adjacent}}$
	$\sin \alpha + \sin \beta = 2 \cos \left( \frac{\alpha - \beta}{2} \right) \sin \left( \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} \right)$		
	$\sin(\alpha - \beta) + \sin(\alpha + \beta) = 2 \sin \alpha \cos \beta$		
NEWTONIAN MECHANICS			
$v = \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta t}$	$a = \frac{\Delta v}{\Delta t}$	$v = v_o + at$	$x - x_o = v_o t + \frac{1}{2} at^2$
$v^2 = v_o^2 + 2a(x - x_o)$	$x - x_o = \left( \frac{v_o + v}{2} \right) t$		
$v = v_o + gt$	$y - y_o = v_o t + \frac{1}{2} gt^2$	$v^2 = v_o^2 + 2g(y - y_o)$	$y - y_o = \left( \frac{v_o + v}{2} \right) t$
$W = Fs \cos \theta$	$W = mg$	$\sum F = F_{net} = ma$	$f_s \leq \mu_s F_N$
$f_k = \mu_k F_N$	$p = mv$	$\sum F = \frac{\Delta p}{\Delta t}$	
$m_1 u_1 + m_2 u_2 = m_1 v_1 + m_2 v_2$	$m_1 u_1 + m_2 u_2 = (m_1 + m_2) v$	$P = \frac{W}{t} = \frac{E}{t} = \frac{Fd}{t} = F\bar{v}$	
$K = \frac{1}{2} mv^2$	$PE_s = \frac{1}{2} kx^2$	$F_s = -kx$	$PE_G = mgy$
$v_{circular} = \frac{2\pi r}{T}$	$a_c = \frac{v^2}{r}$	$F_g = G \frac{m_1 m_2}{r^2}$	$U_g = -G \frac{m_1 m_2}{r}$
$T^2 = K_s r^3$	$T_s = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{m}{k}}$		
Spring with mass,	Simple pendulum,		
$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}}$	$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{g}{l}}$	$T_p = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{l}{g}}$	$T = \frac{2\pi}{\omega} = \frac{1}{f}$
	$x = A \cos \omega t$		$x = A \sin \omega t$
Cosine Wave:	$v = -\omega A \sin \omega t$	Sine Wave:	$v = \omega A \cos \omega t$
	$a = -\omega^2 A \cos \omega t$		$a = -\omega^2 A \sin \omega t$

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**WAVES AND OPTICS**

$$v = f\lambda$$

$$\omega = 2\pi f$$

$$n = \frac{c}{v}$$

$$n_1 \sin \theta_1 = n_2 \sin \theta_2$$

$$\sin \theta_c = \frac{n_2}{n_1}$$

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{d_o} + \frac{1}{d_i}$$

$$M = -\frac{d_i}{d_o} = \frac{h_i}{h_o}$$

$$f = \frac{R}{2}$$

$$d \sin \theta_{\max} = m\lambda$$

$$a \sin \theta_{\min} = m\lambda$$

$$d \sin \theta_{\min} = (m + \frac{1}{2})\lambda$$

$$y_{\text{bright}} = \frac{m\lambda L}{d}$$

$$y_{\text{dark}} = (m + \frac{1}{2}) \frac{\lambda L}{d}$$

$$I = \frac{P}{A}$$

$$\beta = 10 \log_{10} \frac{I}{I_a}$$

$$f' = f \left( \frac{v \pm v_o}{v \mp v_s} \right)$$

$$y(x, t) = A \sin(kx \pm \omega t + \phi)$$

Wave Type:

$$y(x, t) = 2A \cos\left(\frac{\phi}{2}\right) \sin\left(kx - \omega t - \frac{\phi}{2}\right)$$

$$y(x, t) = 2A \sin kx \cos \omega t$$

End of paper.